



The Cruising Yacht Club of Western Australia
62nd Cockburn Sound Regatta



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26th – 30th December 2019

Incorporating

Kwinana Industries Council Fremantle to Rockingham Race
26th December –Cockburn Sound Regatta Feeder Race

Notice of Race

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The Organising Authority (OA) is

The Cruising Yacht Club of WA Inc.

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1. Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in:
 - (a) The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
 - (b) The IRC rules, Parts 1, 2 and 3.
 - (c) The Australian Sports Boat Association rules (ASBA).
 - (d) The Class Rules of individual classes of yachts shall apply.

- 1.2 The racing rules are modified in accordance with RRS 86 as follows:
 - (a) RRS 49 Crew Position; Lifelines.
RRS 50 Setting and Sheeting Sails and
RRS 51 Movable Ballast, will apply except that:
 - (i) Boats complying in all respect with the requirements of their particular class rules may race wholly within the rules of that class unless otherwise prescribed in the sailing instructions and
 - (ii) Boats not racing to class rules, but whose design incorporates fixed or retractable bow sprit, outriggers, trapezes or equipment to move water as ballast, may use such devices and features.
 - (b) Appendix T – Arbitration shall apply.
 - (c) RRS 77, Identification on Sails; A yacht without identification numbers on the main, headsail and spinnaker may be required to display bow numbers on each side of the bow, no more than one metre from the bow for the duration of the event. If required, numbers will be available at registration.
 - (d) RRS 41 is changed so that the two-turns penalty is replaced by the one-turn penalty.
 - (e) The notation (DP) in a rule in the NoR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

- 1.3 Supplementary sailing instructions (SSI) may be issued for classes holding State or National Championships.

- 1.4 The feeder and passage races are classed as Category 6, as defined in Section 2.01 of the Yachting Australia Special Regulations.

- 1.5 All Boat shall comply with the minimum **DPI** marine safety requirement for Western Australia.

2. Event Advertising

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority.

3. Eligibility and Entry

- 3.1 This regatta is open to all Monohull and Multihull Sailing craft

- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter online via the TCYC website www.tcy.com.au, or by completing the attached form which is also available on the website or at the club, and sending it, together with the required fee, to the club no later than 15th December 2019.

- 3.3 Late entries will only be accepted at the discretion of the race committee.



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4. Event Categories

| Division: | Remarks: | Handicap: |
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| KIC Race | FSC to TCYC CSR Feeder race 26 th December. | PBH |
| Division 1 | Sailing Long and Short Passage, Around the Buoys and Windward/Leeward Races | PBH & IRC |
| Division 2 | Yachts with a length overall greater than or equal to 8 metres, or at the Race Committee's discretion. Sailing Long Passage, Short Passage, Around the Buoys and Windward/Leeward Races | PBH & IRC |
| Division 3 | Yachts with a length overall less than 8 metres, or at the Race Committee's discretion. Sailing Long Passage, Short Passage, Around the Buoys and Windward/Leeward Races | PBH |
| Premier Cruising | Yachts typically fitted with a permanent stove, galley, sink & head and at least four bunks – Spinnakers allowed. Sailing Long Passage, Short Passage and Around the Buoys Races | PBH & IRC |
| Jib and Main (JAM) | Yachts that will not fly a spinnaker at any time during the Regatta. Sailing Long Passage, Short Passage and Around the Buoys Races | PBH & IRC |
| Multihull | Catamarans or Trimarans which are not considered to be 'Off the Beach Cats. Sailing Long Passage, Short Passage and Around the Buoys Races. | PBH |
| Classic | Yachts designed or built before 1970 or a design clearly originating from this era. Sailing Long Passage, Short Passage and Around the Buoys Races | PBH |
| Sports Boat | All Sports boats. Sailing Long Passage, Short Passage and Around the Buoys and Windward/Leeward Races | PBH & SMS |

4.1 The following restrictions on the number of boats apply:

- (a) If, by the closing date, less than 5 entries are received in any division, the OA may change the eligibility requirements, cancel that division or re-allocate yachts to other divisions.
- (b) Yachts affected will have the option of confirming their entry under the new eligibility requirement, transferring to another division (if eligible) for no additional fee, or having their fee refunded.
- (c) Where there are sufficient entries the OA may at its discretion divide any division into further subdivisions.
- (d) The OA shall have the right, in the interest of fair sailing, to allocate a yacht to a particular division.

5. Fees

- 5.1 Fees shall be \$285 for the entire regatta.
The \$285 fee includes two (2) Smorgasbord dinners.

6. Schedule

- 6.1 Detailed race schedules and courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

| Date: | Time: | Race Details: |
|--------------------------------|-------|--|
| 26 th December 2019 | 11:00 | Kwinana Industries Council Race to Rockingham Feeder Race from FSC to TCYC. Points scored in this race will not be included in a boat's regatta score |
| 27 th December 2019 | 08:30 | Competitors Briefing |
| | 10:00 | Racing |
| 28 th December 2019 | TBA | Racing |
| 29 th December 2019 | TBA | Racing |
| 30 th December 2019 | 09:30 | Racing |
| | TBA | Presentations |

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- 6.2 Racing for Premier Cruising, Jib and Main (JAM), Multihull and Classic will be a combination of, Around the Buoys races and Passage races in Cockburn Sound, with up to two races per day.
- 6.3 Racing for Divisions 1,2,3 and Sports Boats will be as per 6.2. In addition, up to five Windward/Leeward races may be scheduled.

7. Sailing Instructions

- 7.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available on The Cruising Yacht Clubs website www.tcy.com.au under CSR no later than 30th November 2019.
- 7.2 Printed copies will be part of the event program included in the Skipper's Pack and may be obtained at registration.

8. Regatta Venue

- 8.1 The Cruising Yacht Club of Western Australia Inc., 2 Val Street, Rockingham WA.
- 8.2 The racing area will be on the waters of Mangles Bay and Cockburn Sound.

9. Courses

- 9.1 Courses to be sailed will be Around the Buoys and Passage races using fixed marks and a day buoy, and Windward/Leeward courses as detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

10. Penalty System

- 10.1 RRS 41 is changed so that the two-turns penalty is replaced by the one-turn penalty.
- 10.2 Appendix T Arbitration shall apply.

11. Scoring

- 11.1 The Low Points scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply.
- 11.2 Three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.3 When less than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 11.4 When five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 11.5 Points scored in the feeder race will not be included in a boats regatta score.

12. Support Boats (DP)

- 12.1 Support Boats shall fly the TCYC club burgee and be marked with white and green flags.

13. Berthing (DP)

- 13.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned places whilst they are in the mooring area.



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14. Radio Communications (DP)

- 14.1 The regatta radio communications will be conducted on VHF channels as detailed in the Sailing Instructions. Except in an emergency a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile phones.

15. Trophies and Pennants

- 15.1 Pennants will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places each day for each of a division's races.
- 15.2 Pennants will be awarded for 1st placed IRC boat each day for each of a division's races.
- 15.3 Trophies will be awarded to the overall regatta 1st, 2nd and 3rd places for each division. 5 entries are required for a division to receive trophies.
- 15.4 Trophies will be awarded to the overall regatta 1st placed IRC boat in each division. 5 IRC entries are required for a division to receive IRC trophies.
- 15.5 A trophy will be awarded to the overall regatta champion.
- 15.6 Pennants will be awarded to the overall KIC 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in the feeder race.
- 15.7 A trophy will be awarded to the overall KIC champion.

16. Disclaimer of Liability

- 16.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4 Decision to Race. The OA, its associates and appointees will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury, or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

17. Insurance

- 17.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance with a minimum cover of \$10 million per incident or equivalent. By taking part in the regatta owners are deemed to have made a declaration that they have such cover.

18. Facilities

- 18.1 Available facilities include:
- Galley, bar and lounge facilities at the Clubhouse.
 - Hot showers at the Clubhouse and Point Peron Hardstand.
 - Ferry service between moored yachts to the Val Street Jetty and Point Peron Hardstand.
 - Dinghy Storage at Point Peron Hardstand.
 - Moorings available at the TCYC mooring area.
- 18.2 Moorings will be allocated by the OA to each yacht following their mooring request on the nomination form. A mooring chart will be included in the Skippers Pack and on the website.



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Emergency Facilities

| Facility: | Location: | Phone: |
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| Rockingham Kwinana District Hospital | Elanora Drive, Rockingham | 9527 2777 |
| Rockingham Dental Clinic | 55 Thorpe St Rockingham | 9527 1093 |
| Rockingham Volunteer Sea Rescue | Point Peron Road, Rockingham | 9528 2222 |
| Rockingham Police | 21 Whitfield Road, Rockingham | 9528 8000 or 9528 8080 |

19. Further Information

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